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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Pascual PEREZ et al.  
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Application No.: 09/380,086  
Group: 1638  
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Examiner: Anne R. Kubelik  
For: NOVEL USES OF MALE STERILITY IN PLANTS

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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May 31, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 30, 2004, for which the period for response has been extended three months, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.